



7586PD3033

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: )  
SMITH ET AL. )  
Serial No: 08/392,934 )  
Filed: October 28, 1996 )  
For: Immunoreactive Peptides From )  
Epstein-Barr Virus )

Art Unit: 1644  
Examiner: Ronald B. Schwadron, Ph.D.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231, on

12/21/98

Date of Deposit

Ellen S. Kim

Name

*Ellen S. Kim*

12/21/98

Signature

Date

**Petition for Extension of Time**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time extending to December 23, 1998, the period for response to the "Notice to Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures," mailed October 23, 1998. A check for \$110 and all the responsive paper(s) and materials are attached herein.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 12-1820. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Loeb & Loeb LLP

Date: December 21, 1998

*Ellen S. Kim*  
ELLEN S. KIM  
Reg. No. 42,729  
Attorney for Applicant

10100 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 2200  
Los Angeles, California 90067  
Telephone: 310-282-2000  
Facsimile: 310-282-2192

01/11/1999 ZABDALLA 00000004 08392934

01 FC:115

110.00 09

7154.1  
7586D3033  
12/18/1998